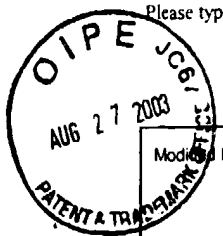


Date of Deposit: August 27, 2003

Please type a plus sign (+) in this box ☐PTO/SB (12-97)
OMB 0651-0031

Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number

Modified Form 1449/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (use as many sheets as necessary)	Application Number	09/494,585
	Filing Date	01/31/00
	First Named Inventor	Prayaga
	Group Art Unit	1647
	Examiner Name	Christine J. Saoud
	Attorney Docket Number	15966-557 (Cura-57)

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Exam Initials	Cite No.	U.S. Patent Document No.	Issue Date	Name of Patentee(s) or Applicant(s)	Class	Sub Class	Filing Date if Appropriate
OK	A4	2002/0001825	01/03/02	Itoh			04/02/01

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Exam Initials	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document Office Number		Name of Patentee(s) or Applicant(s)	Date of Publication	Translation Yes No	
CA	B5	WO	01/07595	CuraGen Corporation	February 1, 2001	X	
	B6	WO	01/68854	Amgen, Inc.	September 20, 2001	X	
	B7	WO	01/92522	Eli Lilly and Co.	December 6, 2001	X	
	B8	WO	02/02625	CuraGen Corporation	January 10, 2002	X	
CA	B9	WO	02/24234	The Regents of the University of California	March 28, 2002	X	

OTHER PRIOR ART - NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS		
Exam Initials	Cite No.	Name of Author, Title (when appropriate), Publication, Volume, Page(s), Date, Etc.
OK	C17	Bange et al. (2002). <i>Cancer Res</i> 62: 840-847.
OK	C18	Ohmachi et al. (2000). <i>Biochemical and Biophysical Res Comm</i> 277: 355-360.
OK	C19	Wong et al. (2001). <i>Am J of Medical Genetics</i> 102: 282-285.
	C20	International Search Report for PGT/US02/19400, mailed June 4, 2003 <i>do not print</i>

* a copy of this reference is not provided as it was previously cited by or submitted to the office in a prior application, Serial No. _____, filed _____, and relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. §120 (continuation, continuation-in-part, and divisional applications).

Examiner Signature	C. Saoud	Date Considered	3/31/04
--------------------	----------	-----------------	---------

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered.

Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Please type a plus sign (+) in this box



Modified Form 1449/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (use as many sheets as necessary)	Application Number	09/494,585
	Filing Date	01/31/00
	First Named Inventor	Shimkets
	Group Art Unit	1647
	Examiner Name	Saoud, Christine J
	Attorney Docket Number	15966-557 (Cura-57)

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Exam Initials	Cite No.	U.S. Patent Document No.	Issue Date	Name of Patentee(s) or Applicant(s)	Class	Sub Class	Filing Date If Appropriate

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Exam Initials	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document Office Number	Name of Patentee(s) or Applicant(s)	Date of Publication	Translation Yes No

OTHER PRIOR ART - NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS		
Exam Initials	Cite No.	Name of Author, Title (when appropriate), Publication, Volume, Page(s), Date, Etc.
CA	C15	Bikfalvi, et al. (1997). Endocrine Reviews 18: 26-45.
CA	C16	Invitation to Pay Additional Fees, mailed April 10, 2003. <i>Do not print</i>

* A copy of this reference is not provided as it was previously cited by or submitted to the office in a prior application, Serial No. _____, filed _____, and relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. §120 (continuation, continuation-in-part, and divisional applications).

Examiner Signature	<i>C. Saoud</i>	Date Considered	<i>3/31/04</i>
-----------------------	-----------------	--------------------	----------------

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered.

Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

TRA 1810081v1

RECEIVED
JUL 10 2003
TECH CENTER 1600/2900